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What's Revised?

Manual of Policy Style

- In compliance with [Administrative Order #11 – Policy Making Procedures](#), the following guidance document has been revised to assist in the drafting and editing of Department Policy:
 - [Manual of Policy Style](#): the Manual of Policy Style is intended to provide DCF staff insight and direction into the policy making process. The Manual of Policy Style provides guidance for staff to work collaboratively with the Office of Policy and Regulatory Development on the creation and revision of Department Policy.
 - [Policy Template](#): the Policy Template has been revised to provide more formatting instruction for staff to work collaboratively with the Office of Policy and Regulatory Development in drafting policy.

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